

**ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY ORDINANCE
NO. 610.5 SECTION FOUR
RAISING WATER RATES FOR THE
CITY OF LANCASTER**

THAT WHEREAS increased revenues are necessary in order to run the Water Department:

NOW, BE IT ORDAINED by the City of Lancaster that Ordinance No. 610.5, Section 4, be amended as follows:

Monthly Rates and Charges

Water Rates \$12.59 for 1,000 gallons minimum monthly water bill

Next 3,000 gallons- \$ 6.35 per 1,000 gallons per month
Next 10,000 gallons- \$ 5.98 per 1,000 gallons per month
Next 10,000 gallons- \$ 5.62 per 1,000 gallons per month
Next 976,000 gallons \$ 5.13 per 1,000 gallons per month
Next 9,000,000 gallons- \$ 4.77 per 1,000 gallons per month
All over 10,000,000 gallons- \$ 2.77 per 1,000 gallons of water

Sewer rates to be - \$ 6.74 per thousand gallons of water

Tap on fees for water shall be \$ 600.00 for 5/8 – 3/4 meter

One inch and larger meters time and material

Tap on fees for sewer shall be \$ 1,000.00

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| 1. Activation Fee | \$ 50.00 |
| 2. Deposit Residential | \$ 150.00 |
| 3. Reconnect Fee <i>Service fee</i> | \$ 50.00 |
| 4. Return Check Fee | \$ 30.00 |
| 5. Deposit Commercial | \$ 200.00 |
| 6. Meter Tampering | \$ 100.00 Bill shall be paid in full where meter was
Tampered with before water is reconnected |
| 7. Residential Meter Test | \$ 85.00 Paid before meter is tested, returned to
Customer if meter tests defective |
| 8. Large Meter Test | \$300.00 Paid before meter is tested |

Relocation of Water or Sewer Service will be time and material

All rates for users outside the City limits shall be 1.5 the rates charged within the City limits.

This ordinance shall become effective upon the ^{July}~~January~~ billing cycle.

Brenda S. Powers, Mayor
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Attest Shari Lane
Shari Lane, City Clerk

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Second Reading: 4-1-13

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